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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED (write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, ____ hrs.
or ____ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)17. INFORMANT
(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19

19. UNDERTAKER
(Address)

20. FILED

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

1931 (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

8/20, 1931, to 8/26, 1931

I last saw him alive on 8/20, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 3:54 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

Acute Enteritis

8/15/31

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Unimportant.

Name of operation

None

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Clinical

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09866

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

250

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED (Write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than
1 day, hrs.
or min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (City or town)

(State or country)

MOTHER

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (City or town)

(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (City or town)

(State or country)

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, or REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

20. FILED

1931

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

1931

(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19

to

19

I last saw him alive on Aug 21, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 7:30 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	3 1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927
Other contributory causes of importance:	
Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago
Other contributory causes of importance:	
Gastroenteritis	1 year

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09857

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

17. INFORMANT (Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER (Address)

20. FILED

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

August 6th, 1931, to August 15th, 1931

I last saw him alive on August 12th, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 9:40 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

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Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

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- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>March 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09868

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Worcester

Village or City

Bear Arrow Hill

No.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Registration Dist. No.

351

St.

Ward

2. FULL NAME

Ronald D Burns

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

W

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Mar. 25 1904

7. AGE

Years

27

Months

4

Days

13

If LESS than
1 day, hrs.
or min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

farmer

9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Mass. N. D.

MOTHER FATHER

13. NAME

John F. Burns

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mabel Harris

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Mass

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Mrs. Mabel Burns
Snow Hill RR

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Mt. Olivet

Date

Aug 8, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

W. T. Harris

Snow Hill

20. FILED

8/8

19

3/ LeRoy Sweet

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Aug 7

(Month)

7

(Day)

1931

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

Aug 7, 1931 to Aug 7, 1931

I last saw him alive on Aug 7, 1931 death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5 P. M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Pistol wound

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Suicide Date of injury Aug 7, 1931

Where did injury occur? Near Snow Hill Md.
(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Home

Manner of injury

Pistol wound

Nature of injury

Shot in heart

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

John L. Riey

M. D.

(Address) Snow Hill, Md.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927
Other contributory causes of importance:	
Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago
Other contributory causes of importance:	
Gastroenteritis	1 year

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¹ PLACE OF DEATH
County Worcester

(119)

09859
STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 357

Village or City Girdletree (No. _____)

St. _____ Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

² FULL NAME George (Tayler) Collins

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE negro 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH March 20, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 5 yrs. 6 mos. 6 ds. or LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. _____ min.?

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work none
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER George Tayler

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Gertrude Collins

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Leola Collins
(Address) Girdletree Md.

15 Filed 8/27 1931 Leola Collins Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Aug 26, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Aug 25, 1931, to Aug 26, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on Aug 25, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9 a. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Enterocolitis

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. 3 ds.

Contributory
Secondary

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) John L. Riley M. D.
Aug 26, 1931. (Address) Spring Hill Md.

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Spring Hill DATE OF BURIAL Aug 27, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Wm Williams ADDRESS Spring Hill Md.

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
Health Association.)

Statement of Occupation—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Composer, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework*, or *At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school*, or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

Statement of Cause of Death—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Insanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No. 351

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than
1 day, hrs.
or min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

20. FILED

19

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

I last saw him alive on

to have occurred on the data stated above, at

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of Injury

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Harcester

Village or City Pocomoke City R.F.D. #4

2 FULL NAME William Corbin

STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 350

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

Colored

5 SINGLE,
MARRIED,
WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)

Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

August 29, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

90 yrs. — mos. — ds. or — min.?

If LESS than
1 day — hrs.
or — min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(A) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Farmer

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE
(State or country)

Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER

George Corbin

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Hockett

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

11 21

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Adeline Corbin

(Address)

Pocomoke City R.F.D. #4

15

Filed Aug 26 1931

Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Aug 29 - 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Aug 29 - 1931 to Aug 29, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Aug 22, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11:00 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Cerebral hemorrhage,
hemiplegia right,
coma for several days.

(Duration) 1 yrs. — mos. — ds.

Contributory
Secondary

Senility

(Duration) — yrs. — mos. — ds.

(Signed) J. M. Vandegrift M. D.

Aug 29, 1931 (Address) Snodgrass R.F.D. 3

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death — yrs. — mos. — ds. In the State — yrs. — mos. — ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Putts Chapel
Harcester Co., Md. Aug 31, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Remond Stevens
Pocomoke City

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
Health Association.)

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09872

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester

Registration Dist. No. 353

Village or City Bishop

No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

CROPPER

(a) Residence: No. _____

St. _____ Ward _____

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>Aug 10 - 1931</u>		
7. AGE Years _____ Months _____ Days _____ If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.	STILLBORN	
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

OCCUPATION

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Md.
(State or country)

13. NAME Edwin Cropper

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Md.
(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Nellie Selby

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Bishop Md
(State or country)

17. INFORMANT Bishopfile Md
(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL
Place Bishopfile Cemetery Date Aug 10, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER Edwin Cropper Jackson
(Address) Bishopfile Md

20. FILED _____, 19 _____

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

August 10, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

_____ 19 _____, to _____ 19 _____

I last saw him _____ alive on _____ 19 _____; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at _____ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance were as follows:

Date of onset

STILLBORN

I was called to Mrs Nellie Cropper & the female was born & dead about 3 months pregnant

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation home Date of _____

What test confirmed diagnosis? h Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? L Date of Injury L, 19 _____

Where did injury occur? L

(Specify city or town, county and State)
Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE. L

Manner of injury L

Nature of injury L

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

R P Gallin

M. D.

(Address)

Bishopfile Md

Registrar.

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 2411 N. Charles Street, Baltimore, Requesting U. S. No. 1.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

V. S. No. 1

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UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09873

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester
Village or City Shawell

Registration Dist. No. 355
No. 119 St. Ward
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. FULL NAME Thomas Hooks

(a) Residence: No. St. Ward.
(Usual place of abode)
If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>C</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u> </u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>Apr. 12, 1931</u>		
7. AGE Years <u> </u> Months <u>4</u> Days <u>11</u> If LESS than 1 day, <u> </u> hrs. or <u> </u> min.	8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u> </u>	
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u> </u>		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u> </u>
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u> </u>		

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Delaware
(State or country)

FATHER
13. NAME Walter Hooks
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) VA.
(State or country)

MOTHER
15. MAIDEN NAME Ruth Shawell
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) VA.
(State or country)

17. INFORMANT Walter Hooks
(Address) Shawell Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL
Place Shawell Date Aug. 25, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER J. W. Burbage
(Address) Burke Md

20. FILED 8/25 1931 Helen F. Hayward
Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Aug 24 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 19 to 19

I last saw h. alive on , 19 ; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10 P m.
The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Illus Colitis
(not in attendance)
Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Date of onset
Aug
1931

Name of operation Date of
What test confirmed diagnosis? Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury , 19
Where did injury occur?
(Specify city or town, county and State)
Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury
Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?
If so, specify (Signed) Chas. R. Low M. D.
(Address) Burke Md

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Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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¹ PLACE OF DEATH
County Worcester

09874 STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 353

Village or City Bishopps (No. ma) St. _____ Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

² FULL NAME Donald P. Hickman

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) X

6 DATE OF BIRTH May 8, 1926
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 5 yrs. 3 mos. 29 ds. If LESS than 1 day ____ hrs. or ____ min.?

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work no
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Charlie W. Hickman

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Marion Hickman

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Charlie Hickman

(Address) Bishopps Md.

15 Filed Aug 29 1931 J. P. Ryan Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Aug 28, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Aug 25, 1931 to Aug 28, 1931, that I last saw him alive on Aug 28, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Acute Gastritis
Disease of the liver
& Acute Dysentery, catarrhal
Disease of the liver. (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. 5 ds.

Contributory
Secondary

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
(Signed) A. P. G. G. G. M. D.
Aug 29, 1931 (Address) Bishopps Md.

* State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Cause, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Bishopville Md. DATE OF BURIAL Aug 30, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER M. Parsha Watson ADDRESS Belbyville

1931
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REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
Health Association.)

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Statement of Cause of Death—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningis, peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Hæmition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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BUREAU OF VITALS

STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09875

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester No. 62-2 Registration Dist. No. 357
 Village or City Near Girdlitz St. _____ Ward _____
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 50 yrs. 2 mos. 14 ds. (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
 How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

Lammie Johnson
 (a) Residence: No. Girdlitz Md. St. _____ Ward _____
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>negro</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>married</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>Amie Johnson</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>May 18 1881</u>		
7. AGE <u>50</u>	Years <u>2</u>	Months <u>14</u>
		Days <u>14</u>
		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>laborer</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u>-</u>		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>Aug 4</u>		11. Total time (years) <u>all</u> spent in this occupation <u>up</u>

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Girdlitz Md
 (State or country)

13. NAME Larry Johnson
 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Girdlitz Md
 (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Ellen Bishop
 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Girdlitz Md
 (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Amie Johnson
 (Address) Girdlitz Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL
 Place Coal Spring Date Aug 14, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER Wm. Williams
 (Address) Snow Hill Md

20. FILED 8/13, 1931 LeRoy Smith
 Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Aug 15, 1931
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Aug 5, 1931, to Aug 11, 1931
 I last saw him alive on Aug 11, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 3:00 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Hypertension - Cons
unknown

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation _____ Date of _____

What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? _____

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____ Date of injury _____, 1931

Where did injury occur? _____

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury _____

Nature of injury _____

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify no

(Signed) John L. Riley M. D.

(Address) Snow Hill Md

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

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1 PLACE OF DEATH
County WORCESTER

Village or City New Ark, Md. (No.)

2 FULL NAME Baely Johnson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Aug. 23rd, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. or min. If LESS than 1 day ____ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Steel borer
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) ✓

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) md.

10 NAME OF FATHER Lee P. Purnell

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Estella Johnson

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Julia Whaley
(Address) Newark, Md.

15 Filed 8/24 19231 L. Roy Smith
Registrar

09876 STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 351

St. _____ Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH August 23rd, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192 ____ to 192 ____

that I last saw him alive on 192 ____

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Stillborn
So says midwife
(Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.

Contributory Secondary

(Signed) L. Roy Smith, L. Roy
8/24 19231 (Address) Newark, Md.

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. In the State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Adair Chapel cemetery Aug. 24th, 1931
20 UNDERTAKER Severn Johnson ADDRESS New Ark, Md.

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Worcester

Village or City Ocean City (No. _____)

2 FULL NAME May E Longmire

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) ✓

6 DATE OF BIRTH July 25, 1847
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 84 yrs. 0 mos. 25 ds. or min. ?
If LESS than 1 day ____ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work at home
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Phila Pa

10 NAME OF FATHER Samuel Mintyn

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Phila Pa

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Jane Joyce

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Phila Pa

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John R. Camp
(Address) Phila Pa

15 Filed 8/20 1931 J. S. Mumford Registrar

09877 STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 382

St. _____ Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Aug 30, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Aug 12 1931 to Aug 30 1931, that I last saw him alive on Aug 19, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7:08 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:
Chronic Myocardial Degeneration

Contributory Secondary Senility
(Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.

(Signed) Clifford E. Schott M. D.
Aug 30 1931 (Address) Ocean City Md

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Arlington Cem. Landown DATE OF BURIAL 8/24 1931

20 UNDERTAKER J. M. Burlage ADDRESS Beelin Dr.

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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SEP 3 1918
BUREAU U. S.

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09878

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City NewarkLength of residence in city or town where death occurred — yrs. — mos. 16 ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. — mos. — ds.Registration Dist. No. 332

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Jennie Mitchell

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If coresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

W

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Single5e. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Aug. 29, 1864

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

671 day, — hrs.
or — min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BDDKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.Housewife10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)Md.

FATHER

13. NAME

 Rufus W. Mitchell14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)Maryland

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Charlotte Sonack16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)Md.17. INFORMANT
(Address)Mr. Joseph Mitchell
Newark, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Evergreen

Date

Aug. 31, 193119. UNDERTAKER
(Address)J. W. Burbridge
Baltimore, Md.

20. FILED

Aug 31, 1931 J. V. Mumford
Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Aug 29, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19

to

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I last saw her alive on Aug 28, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, 3 P. m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

Ch. Int Nephritis

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

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Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of Injury 19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HDME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

Chas. R. Low

M. D.

(Address)

Baltimore, Md.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09879

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City Newark

No.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

W

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

M5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE ofAsbury Mitchell

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Oct. 1, 1858

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than
1 day, _____ hrs.
or _____ min.72106

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.Housewife10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

FATHER

13. NAME

John Jarman

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Annie Webb

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Asbury Mitchell
Newark Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

EvergreenAug. 9, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

J. W. Burdage
Berlin Md.

20. FILED

Aug 9, 1931D. V. Mumford
Regist.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

8-7
(Month)1931
(Day)1
(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

7/31, 1931, to8/2, 1931

I last saw her alive on

8/2, 1931to have occurred on the date stated above, at 6:30 P.M.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:apoplexy

Date of onset

7/31/31

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

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Date of injury

19

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Nature of Injury

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NO

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Marcell Lingo
Newark, Md.

M. D.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH
County WorcesterVillage or City Pocomoke City (No. _____)R.F.D. # 5

St. _____ Ward _____

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Leonard OuttenSTATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 550

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married
(Write the word)6 DATE OF BIRTH August 5th., 1860.
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 71 yrs. ** mos. 19 ds. or LESS than 1 day hrs. min.?

OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Farmer

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE
(State or country)Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER

Revell Outten11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER
(State or country)Maryland.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Wealthy Mason13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER
(State or Country)Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs. Ida V. Outten(Address) Pocomoke City, Maryland.15 Filed Aug 25 1931 John T. Riley
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

August 24th., 1931
(Month) 24th (Day) 1931 (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended the deceased from Aug 20th 1931 to Aug 24th 1931that I last saw him alive on Aug 24th 1931and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7.30 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Sudden Collapse
(Duration) sudden yrs. mos. ds.Contributory
Secondary(Duration) 2 yrs. mos. ds.(Signed) M. D.Aug 25 1931 (Address) Pocomoke City

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Goodwill M.E. Cemetery
Near Pocomoke City, Md.

DATE OF BURIAL

Aug. 26th, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

Vernon P. Stevens

ADDRESS

Pocomoke City
Maryland.

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
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1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Worcester

09881
(82d)

STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 350

Village or City Pocomoke City (No. _____)

St. _____ Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME George S. Patterson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Widower
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 71 yrs. ** mos. ** ds. or min.?
If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Laborer
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Jessie Patterson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Dont Know

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) II II

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Carrie Dennis
(Address) Pocomoke City, Maryland.

15 Filed Aug 11 1931 John T Riley Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH August 10th, 1931
August (Month) 10th (Day) 1931 (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192 to 192, that I last saw him alive on 192, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5.50 P.m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Paralyzed several months ago
no physician has been in attendance
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory
Secondary

(Signed) John T Riley Registrar Aug 11 1931 (Address) Pocomoke City, Md.

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Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Halls Hill Cemetary
Pocomoke City, Maryland DATE OF BURIAL Aug. 12th, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Vernon P. Stevenson ADDRESS Pocomoke City Maryland.

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09882

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worchester
Village or City BerlinRegistration Dist. No. 352No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE col. 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED widowed (write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE ofdeceased

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

unknown7. AGE Years _____ Months _____ Days _____ If LESS than
1 day, _____ hrs. _____ min.57unknown

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FATHER

13. NAME

Henry Purnell14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)Md.

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Emma Purnell16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)Md.17. INFORMANT
(Address)Clarence Purnell
Berlin Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place St. PaulsDate Sept. 1, 193119. UNDERTAKER
(Address)J. W. Burbage
Berlin, Md.

20. FILED

Sept 1, 1931 J. V. Mumford
Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Aug 28, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

June, 1931, to Aug 28, 1931I last saw her alive on Aug 28, 1931, death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, 28 12 m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

1928Cancer of Liver

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation _____ Date of _____

What test confirmed diagnosis? no Was there an autopsy? no

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(Signed)

no
C. G. Holland
Berlin Md.

M. D.

(Address)

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<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

69891

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City Whaleyville

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

2. FULL NAME

SHOWELL

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

Black

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

August 12, 1931

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, _____ hrs.
or _____ min.

STILLBORN

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Md.

(State or country)

MOTHER FATHER

13. NAME

Lemuel Showell

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Delaware

(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

Sarah Tingle

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Delaware

(State or country)

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place _____ Date _____, 19____

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

20. FILED _____, 19____

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

August 12,

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

_____, 19____, to _____, 19____.

I last saw him _____ alive on _____, 19____; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at _____ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

STILLBORN

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation _____ Date of _____

What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? _____

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____ Date of injury _____, 19____

Where did injury occur? _____

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury _____

Nature of injury _____

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? _____

If so, specify

(Signed) H. E. James(Address) Whaleyville, Del.

M. D.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis

Date of onset

1915

Chronic interstitial nephritis

1921

Cerebral hemorrhage

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Date of onset

1 week ago

Run over by street car

1 week ago

Peritonitis

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09893

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Worcester

(131)

Registration Dist. No.

357

Village or City

near Newark Md

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

Newark Md

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

m

4. COLOR OR RACE

c

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

widower

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

unknown

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

unknown

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, hrs.
or min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Laborer

9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

FATHER

13. NAME

unknown

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

unknown

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

unknown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

unknown

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Sergeant Smith
Newark, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Newark Md Aug 4, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Chas. A. Purcell
Newark Md

20. FILED

8/3

19

31 LeRoy Smith

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Aug
(Month)3
(Day)1931
(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

Aug 2, 1931, to Aug 2, 1931

I last saw him alive on Aug 2, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 7:30 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance

were as follows:
old age
arteriosclerosis
chronic nephritis

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of Injury, 19

Where did Injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

John L. Riley
Newark Md

M. D.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09884

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

Worcester
Snow Hill

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

30 yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

William Waters

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

Colored

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND or
(or) WIFE of

Ella Waters

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Oct-1878

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than
1 day, ... hrs.
or ... min.

52

8

?

8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Day work

9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Virginia

FATHER

13. NAME

Unknown

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Unknown

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary Harman

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Va.

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Maie Howard
Snow Hill - Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Day Rest Home

Date

9/2

31

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

B. W. Williams
Snow Hill

20. FILED

9/2, 19

31

L. E. Smith

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

8 - 30 - 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That attended deceased from

1931, to 8/30, 1931

I last saw him alive on

8/10

1931

death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 11:30 A.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

Cardio-Vascular Renal
Disease

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Unimportant

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Clinical

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

H. J. Swatsche
Snow Hill - Md.

M. D.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

2 FULL NAME

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS.

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,
MARRIED,
WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

8 OCCUPATION

- (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work
- (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE
(State or country)

PARENTS

10 NAME OF
FATHER11 BIRTHPLACE
OF FATHER
(State or country)12 MAIDEN NAME
OF MOTHER13 BIRTHPLACE
OF MOTHER
(State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15

Filed

1923/

Registrar

09885

STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

192 to 192

that I last saw him alive on

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Contributory
Secondary

(Signed)

M. D.

1923/ (Address)

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

16 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Parents' home

Aug 27, 1923

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Parent Irving Wilkins

Pocomoke City Route #2

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
Health Association.)

Statement of Occupation—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Composer, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman, etc.* But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Dog laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine, etc.* Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework, or At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school, or At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid, etc.* If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

Statement of Cause of Death—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonium, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc.*, of (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart-failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Infantion," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL *septicaemia, "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc.* State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

SEP 3 1931
BUREAU

N. B.—WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD. Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09886

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

Registration Dist. No.

357

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

Colored

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of
(or) WIFE of

Lola Wise

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

3. 23. 1884.

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, hrs.
or min.

47

5

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8. Trade, profession, or particular
kind of work done, as SPINNER,
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which
work was done, as SILK MILL,
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at
this occupation (month and
year)11. Total time (years)
spent in this
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)
(State or country)17. INFORMANT
(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER
(Address)

20. FILED

yrs.

Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

19

to

19

I last saw him alive on

8-21

1931

; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 3:30 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance
were as follows:

Date of onset

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

May 1931

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Unimportant

Name of operation

None

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Clinical

Was there an autopsy?

no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred In INDUSTRY, In HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. O.

UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N. B.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Worcester

09887 STATE OF MARYLAND
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 354

Village or City Stockton (No. _____)

St: _____ Ward: _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Still Born Wise

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE col 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Aug 6, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. or LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. _____ min.?

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work _____
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Eliwood Wise

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Erinith Colie

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Eliwood Wise
(Address) Stockton Md

15 Filed Aug 6 1931 Harry R. Taylor Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Aug 6, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from _____, 192____, to _____, 192____,

that I last saw h _____ alive on _____, 192____,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8.30 A m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:

Still born
1 m. Perinatal
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Contributory Secondary _____
(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) Harry R. Taylor M.D.
Aug 6 1931 (Address) Stockton Md

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL New St Paul DATE OF BURIAL Aug 6, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER A Rowley ADDRESS Stockton Md

REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public
Health Association.)

Statement of Occupation—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Compositor, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Declarer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework*, or *At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school*, or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

Statement of Cause of Death—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Delirium" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Echausion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the date is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

SEP 3 1921

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STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

09898

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City near Snow Hill Md

No.

Registration Dist. No. 357

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred unknown yrs. mos. ds.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

How long in U. S. If of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Balto. Md

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>m</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>o</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>widowed</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>unknown</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year) <u>unknown</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>Robert 99 yrs</u>	Months	Days
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>Labourer</u>		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u>—</u>
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u>—</u>		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>—</u>		

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) unknown
(State or country)13. NAME unknown14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) unknown
(State or country)15. MAIDEN NAME unknown16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) unknown
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(Address) Snow Hill Md18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL
Place Snow Hill Md Date Aug 2, 193119. UNDERTAKER Chas. A. Turner
(Address) Snow Hill Md20. FILED 8/3, 1931 LeRoy Smith
Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Aug

(Month)

(Day)

1931
(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19— to —, 19—I last saw him — elive on —, 19—; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at — m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Struck and instantly killed by automobile

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance: —Name of operation — Date of —What test confirmed diagnosis? — Was there an autopsy? —

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? — Date of injury Aug 1, 1931Where did injury occur? 1/2 mile from Snow Hill Md

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

State highwayManner of injury Broken neck by being struckNature of injury Broken neck

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If so, specify

(Signed) John L. King

M. D.

(Address) Snow Hill Md

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Other contributory causes of importance:

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